

IN THE CLAIMS:

1. (Currently Amended) Device for cleaning rolls in printing machines, especially machines for executing prints on web-shaped paper-like material destined to the production of tissue paper, napkins, toilet paper and the like, comprising:

- a nozzle-(1) apt to direct a steam jet toward the surface of a roll-(2, 3) to be
5 cleaned: said nozzle-(1) being connected to steam feeding means;
- a suction chamber-(5) within which is disposed said nozzle-(1) and apt to execute an aspiration in correspondence of the surface of the roll-(2, 3) interested by the steam jet supplied by the nozzle-(1): said chamber-(5) being connected to relevant suction means;
- 10 - a plurality of holes-(7, 8) oriented toward the surface of the roll-(2, 3) to be cleaned, and connected to air compressed feeding means;

characterized by the fact that said suction chamber-(5) is delimited by the lateral inner walls-(50) of a first box-shaped body-(51; 510) and by the lateral outer walls-(53) of a second body-(52) which is internal to the first body-(51; 510) and which acts as a support for the said nozzle-(1)
15 and by the fact that a base-(55) of said chamber-(5) is delimited by a surface provided with two apertures-(56) for connecting it to relevant aspiration ducts-(6) and with an aperture-(54) for connecting it to a steam duct-(4).

2. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 1, characterized by the fact that said plurality of holes-(7, 8) is disposed along two rows, with the holes of each row aligned

according a corresponding plane, forming, in such way, two supplying fronts for the compressed air which are on the same side in respect to the nozzle~~(1)~~.

3. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 1, characterized by the fact that it comprises a main body~~(59)~~ provided with fast coupling means for fixing, one at a time, different cleaning heads~~(51; 510)~~ destined to a corresponding roll to be cleaned.

4. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 3, characterized by the fact that said main body~~(59)~~ is supported by a carriage~~(89)~~ bi-directionally movable along a guide~~(93)~~ parallel to the roll~~(2, 3)~~ to be cleaned.

5. (Currently Amended) Device according to claim 1, characterized by the fact that said first body~~(51)~~ and said second body~~(52)~~ have, in correspondence of the open base~~(57)~~ of the chamber~~(5)~~, a plurality of holes~~(7, 8)~~ facing the surface of the roll~~(2, 3)~~ to be cleaned and connected to compressed air supplying means by a corresponding flexible duct~~(9)~~, the holes~~(7)~~ of the first body~~(51; 510)~~ being connected to a first distribution chamber~~(70)~~ which is developed transversally to the same holes and is supplied by a duct~~(9)~~ through a corresponding connecting joint~~(79)~~, the holes~~(8)~~ of the second body~~(52)~~ being connected to a second distribution chamber~~(80)~~ which is parallel to said first chamber~~(70)~~ and is supplied by said duct~~(9)~~ through a corresponding offtake~~(78)~~, said holes~~(7, 8)~~ for the outlet of the compressed air being aligned according to two corresponding planes, forming, two compressed air supplying

fronts on the same side in respect tot he nozzle~~(1)~~ supported by the second body~~(52)~~.

6 - 13. (Canceled)